



*Saint Bridget Catholic Church*

# MINISTRY FAIR

## PERSONAL INTEREST PACKET

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### INSTRUCTIONS

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## **CrossOver Healthcare Ministry**

*We provide high quality healthcare, promote wellness, and connect community talents and resources with people in need in the name of Jesus Christ.*

*Blue Table*

Our Vision is a healthy, vibrant community where every person is restored by the compassionate, healing love of God. Founded in 1983, CrossOver Healthcare Ministry provides high quality healthcare services to more than 6,500 individuals each year at its two locations. CrossOver will continue to serve patients with a full continuum of care to treat the whole patient: body, mind, and soul. Henrico Clinic: 8600 Quioccasin Rd, Suite 105, Richmond, VA 23229, Richmond Clinic: 108 Cowardin Ave, Richmond, VA 23224 Meeting Schedule: Clinic Open: Monday - Friday  
Contact: Tim Illsley [tillsley@crossoverministry.org](mailto:tillsley@crossoverministry.org)

## **40 Days For Life**

*To pray at Planned Parenthood, especially on surgical abortion days and provide aid/resources to women considering terminating their pregnancy.*

*White Table*

This loving ministry is the hands and feet of Jesus Christ, lending a helping hand and love to women in need. You receive more blessings than you give as the rewards of giving options to a scared pregnant woman are enormous! They are so thankful. You will be given material to distribute. Help includes free ultrasounds, free diapers, baby clothes, information on adoption and housing. Volunteers are welcome any day but we would like St Bridget Church to cover Wednesday, October 5th and Thursday, October 6th from 8:00 am to 5:00pm. Planned Parenthood sidewalk: 201 N Hamilton St, Richmond, VA 23221 Meeting Schedule: Variable  
Contact: Nina Newton [Nina@ninanewton.com](mailto:Nina@ninanewton.com)

## **Mary's Choice RVA**

*To provide housing for pregnant women in crisis*

*White Table*

Assisting women in crisis pregnancy with housing for up to four years. Also providing training, resources, and stability so women can feel comfortable keeping their baby and providing a home for the mother and child to thrive. Meeting Schedule: Once a month  
Contact: Maureen Nwoye  
[amakamaureen@hotmail.com](mailto:amakamaureen@hotmail.com)

## **Day of Service**

*To provide the St. Bridget community an opportunity to serve non-profits in the area in a variety of ways.*

*Blue Table*

Day Of Service is a St. Bridget School and Parish joint effort to provide our individuals and families opportunities to serve as the hands and feet of Christ in our community. DOS will take place from 8:30am-12pm on Saturday, April 1st, 2023. Committee chairs and members are greatly needed to help plan this annual event! Please sign up to chair or be a member of a DOS committee. Once a month in October, November and January. Increasing as needed and as DOS approaches. More email than meeting in person, however. Meeting Schedule: Variable  
Contact: Jessica Smith and Johnna Woods  
[jframme@gmail.com](mailto:jframme@gmail.com)

## **Feeding Ministry**

*To feed veterans and the homeless*

*White Table*

If you love making ziti, then consider this your calling! Lend your time and talents to help serve the poor members of our communities! This ministry is divided into three roles to put those talents wherever they lie best! Choose between the 3 shelters we partner with, and decide which weeks work best for your schedule. Email, Jeannie at, [jgrumblatt@saintbridgetchurch.org](mailto:jgrumblatt@saintbridgetchurch.org) to be added to our Sign up Genius! "Whoever cares for the poor lends to the LORD, who will pay back the sum in full." (Proverbs 19:17) Salvation Army-1st Tuesday, Liberation Veteran Services -2nd Tuesdays, Brown Bag Ministry -4th Tuesdays Meeting Schedule: Variable  
Contact: Jean Grumblatt  
[jgrumblatt@saintbridgetchurch.org](mailto:jgrumblatt@saintbridgetchurch.org)

## **St. Vincent de Paul**

*To develop relationships with the poor and assist with housing, rent, and utility assistance.*

*White Table*

We serve the poor of the Richmond community & foster spiritual growth among our members. St Vincent DePaul ministry is a group of individuals who are committed to helping the less fortunate in the community . Meeting Schedule: First and Third Mondays  
Contact: Sam Patterson -President  
[Titmusmelanie@gmail.com](mailto:Titmusmelanie@gmail.com)

## Outreach Ministries

### Christmas Sharing

*Help organize Christmas gifts and donations for over 200 families in need.*

*White Table*

We work with social agencies and community organizers across the state of Virginia to provide gifts, food, and gift cards to families in need. This is like an Angel Tree, but on a rather large scale. Meeting Schedule: October, November, December activities - variable. Contact: Jean Grumblatt  
jgrumblatt@saintbridgetchurch.org

### Visiting the Homebound

*Visit parishioners and community members who are homebound*  
*White Table*

Our faith is centered around community, and this ministry reaches out to parishioners who would benefit from a friendly visit. Some visits may include bringing the Eucharist to the homebound. Meeting Schedule: Individual Basis  
Contact: Jean Grumblatt  
jgrumblatt@saintbridgetchurch.org

## Community Ministries

### Knights of Columbus, Council, #5476

*Catholic Men using the shared principles of Charity, Unity, Fraternity and Patriotism, to grow in faith, serve the Church, community, and our families.*

*Sky Blue Table*

Make a difference here at St. Bridget's and your Greater RVA community, while strengthening your faith, families and the rights of the pre-born. We are a group of 100 men of all ages, promoting our faith through Catholic education, support for our priests and seminarians, helping the poor, and supporting the value of all life. We invite all men of the parish who wish to more actively practice their faith, to consider joining this dynamic group of men. You will enjoy the company of men that choose to live their faith through action and initiative in our parish and the broader community. Call Doug Lynch at 609-977-8953 to learn more! Regular meetings in 2022-2023 will be in the cafe of the St. Bridget Middle School. Other parish locations as alternates, including the Parish Hall. Being a Knight is not a time-consuming activity. We do many projects during the year and we invite participation when you like. We have a once-a-month member meeting on the second Monday of each month, where we have a social dinner at 6:30pm and the typically 1-hour meeting commences at 7:00pm. Meeting Schedule: Monthly Meetings & Variable Events Contact: Douglas A. Lynch, Grand Knight Douglas.Lynch1121@gmail.com

### Online Rosary & Divine Mercy Chaplet

*Prayer for needs of the community and peace in Ukraine*

*Pink Table*

We pray for a peaceful resolution to the war in Ukraine and for the intentions of those who participate that are mentioned aloud or held in the silence of their hearts. Meeting Schedule: Tuesdays 12:30 p.m. & Fridays 11:00 a.m. Contact: Deacon John Arkesteyn  
johna6565@gmail.com

### St. Bridget Men's Ministry of Faith and Fellowship

*Building a stronger relationship with Christ, and a deeper love for family and friends through spiritual growth and Christian fellowship.*

*Yellow Table*

Since the Fall of 1998, the Saint Bridget Men's Ministry of Faith & Fellowship has conducted monthly meetings and a myriad of spiritual and social events for the men of Saint Bridget Catholic Church. Our mainstay activity is our monthly Saturday meetings, which are typically on the first Saturday of the month but we usually move to the next Saturday for holiday weekends. The meetings technically start at 7:00 am, but coffee is on before then. It's early, but we've found that there are few conflicts at that hour! We meet in the Parish Meeting Room off the commons - its pretty easy to find us - no one else is around at that time of day! We wrap up by 8:00 am, so guys can go to Mass if they want to. One of the guys facilitates a discussion of the weekend's Scripture readings and/or a faith resource - in 2022, we're continuing to work through Practical Theology: Spiritual Direction from St. Thomas Aquinas by Peter Kreeft. In addition to our Saturday meetings, we have a number of social functions each year, including an Oktoberfest (guys, beers, brats) in the fall, and a Christmas pot-luck dinner party (spouses/significant others invited). In the spring a bunch of guys will take a day trip to the Shrine of the Immaculate Conception in DC, with a stop at the Irish Times, a popular pub, on the way home. Over the years, we've done a number of other functions, like a marriage vow renewal Mass and dinner and Stations of the Cross. Generally, if someone wants to do something and enough people are interested, it ends up happening. With Allen Bean's terrific guidance, we formed a men's choir in 2005 formally known as "The Gentlemen of St. Bridget". Meeting Schedule: 1st Saturdays at 7am; social functions throughout the year  
Contact: Leon Shadowen Wayne Slough  
lshadowen@aol.com

## **Bon Secours Rosary Ministry**

*To pray the rosary over closed circuit TV which is streamed into the patient's rooms at St. Mary's Hospital. St. Bridget parishioners cover Thursdays.*

*Pink Table*

Bon Secours continues to support a Rosary Ministry at St. Mary's Hospital with the help of members of the Catholic community throughout the Richmond area. This has been very successful and has brought much comfort to patients, families and visitors. We have a dedicated group of parishioners from St. Bridget that meet in the hospital chapel and pray the rosary on Thursdays each month. Your commitment is about 45 minutes on Thursday once per month. Please consider joining this ministry. Orientation is provided and no need to know the rosary as we provide a book with everything scripted. You will be partnered with another parishioner. Meeting Schedule: One Thursday per month at 3 pm for 45 minutes.

Contact: Betty Spencer bspen41624@verizon.net

## **Saints and Sinners**

*A Social Group for Seniors and Adults with community meals and presentations throughout the year*

*Orange Table*

The Saints and Sinners is a wonderful group of St. Bridget Parishioners, many who are seniors, who gather monthly for an interesting program and some time for fellowship. We take a day trip at least once a year to visit intriguing places and to spend time together. We publish a monthly schedule of events for the full year, including our annual dinner in early June. Most events are held on the third Thursday of the month. Please join us for some wonderful camaraderie and fellowship! Meeting Schedule: Third Thursdays

Contact: John McCulla jkmculla@comcast.net

## **Mom's Ministry**

*To support women of all ages and stages in their common vocation of motherhood*

*Yellow Table*

Our goal is to connect the women in the pews to one another, so that we may grow in our faith together, encouraging and supporting each other through all of the ups and downs of Christian motherhood in all it's stages, and to grow in faith and virtue as Catholic women. The cornerstone of our ministry is our monthly meetings, where we hear inspiring and encouraging speakers, reflect and discuss with each other, and take a break to refuel and recharge ourselves, so we may better go out to love and serve. Meeting Schedule: Monthly on Thursdays

Contact: Elizabeth Waring elnappi@gmail.com

## **Money Counters**

*Count the weekend collection on Mondays*

*Orange Table*

Money counting is a ministry of dedicated parishioners who enjoy serving their community in prayer, commitment, and honesty. Money counters are entrusted with the offerings from parishioners' hearts and wallets collected at Masses. Work as a team to count the Sunday collection of cash and checks and assure the accuracy of our financial records. Counters must be trustworthy, honest, and able to maintain a high degree of confidentiality regarding personal contributions. Counters work in teams and meet after daily Mass on Mondays and the process usually takes about two hours. There is a rotation of counters, so you will only have to count once every 3-4 weeks. If Monday is a holiday, the count happens on the next business day. Must be able to climb stairs. Meeting Schedule: Two Hours Monday Mornings after Mass, once every 3-4 weeks.

Contact: Joyce Romito jromito@saintbridgetchurch.org

## **Catholic Woman's Club**

*Promote Catholic ideals*

*Sky Blue Table*

Adult Catholic women from 16 different Richmond area parishes. Founded in 1914 to stimulate members Catholic ideals and actions through spiritual growth, cultural involvement, educational advancement, civic pursuits and philanthropic endeavors. Our yearly events include: a Memorial Mass for our deceased members in November and A Day of Recollection prior to Easter. We also gather for social events such as book reviews, play cards and games and do various fundraising. You may learn more about us on our web page: [www.cwcrva.org](http://www.cwcrva.org) The board meets the first Monday of each month at 10:00 AM to conduct the general business of the club. Five meetings known as Open Meetings with programs are scheduled during the months of September, October, January, March/April and May. Meeting Schedule: Variable Meetings

Contact: Carol Valentine carolvalentine@gmail.com

## **Divine Mercy Cenacle**

*To recite the divine mercy chaplet and study St. Faustina's diary*

*Pink Table*

The divine mercy cenacle is a group that meets to pray the divine mercy chaplet and prayerfully study St. Faustina's diary to explore the depths of God's mercy. We meet Friday mornings immediately following the 8:00 mass. 8:30-8:45 recitation of the chaplet. 8:45-10 study of St. Faustina's diary. The highlight of our year is the celebration of divine mercy Sunday.

Email Kathleen Redmond if you have questions  
koredmond@gmail.com

## Alpha

*Ten week small dinner, video, and discussion course covering the basics of Christianity.*

*Light Purple Table*

Alpha is a 10 week course that meets on Thursday evenings from 6pm to 8:30. The course focuses on your relationship with Jesus and the Holy Spirit. We do Alpha at St. Bridget's once a year at the beginning of January. The evening consists of dinner, a video and small group discussion. We have a suggested donation of \$8.00 per week to offset food costs, but it is a donation and we never want cost to deter anyone from coming! ALL ARE WELCOME at St. Bridget's Alpha! We meet people where ever they are on their faith journey! Hundreds of St. Bridget's parishioners have completed the course - come and see what it is all about! Meeting Schedule: 10 weeks begin in January. Meetings are once a week - usually on Thursday evenings - from 6:00 to 8:30 PM

Contact: Michael Siewers michael@siewers.com

## Order of Christian Initiation for Adults (formerly RCIA)

*The process for coming into full Communion with the Catholic Church.*

*Teal Table*

Help us support those who are discerning coming into the Catholic Church! Journey with wonderful and inspiring people who are asking amazing and thoughtful about becoming part of our beautiful faith! We meet on the 3rd Wednesday of the month at 7pm for class and have other activities including speakers, Rites (preparing for and receiving Sacraments), Bible Studies and social events at various other times. The RCIA Team also meets to prepare for classes. Meeting Schedule: 3rd Wednesday of the month at 7pm & Variable other events.

Contact: Mary Rebecca Pugsley mpugsley@saintbridgetchurch.org

## Coffee and Donuts

*To promote fellowship among parishioners after Mass*

*Orange Table*

The Coffee and Donut Ministry is an opportunity to provide fellowship after Mass with a minimal time commitment. Volunteers are needed to pick up donuts, make coffee, plate donuts, serve after Mass and clean up. Coffee and donuts are offered by the church on the 4th Sunday of the month after 9:00 and 11:00 Mass. The Knights provide donuts on 2nd Sundays. The most current needs are for 11:00 Mass and instructions are provided. Meeting Schedule: No meetings, once a month time commitment. Contact: Shannon Jones shannon.jone13@icloud.com

## Welcome Committee

*To welcome new parishioners into the parish and help them to get involved*

*Orange Table*

In this ministry, you get to meet a lot of new people and share your experiences as part of the St. Bridget family. Meeting Schedule: Every 2nd Sunday of the month (except in May)

Contact: Timothy Kelly tim.d.kelly11@gmail.com

## Media Ministry

*Use audio, video, and still photography to serve the Church.*

*Red Table*

There is a broad umbrella of what we do. Members can participate in any of the following: Livestream of Mass or other events, Photograph events, Operate the video production studio, set up and oversee live events audio/video. Meeting Schedule: Variable  
Contact: Dan Harms, Director of Evangelization dharms@saintbridgetchurch.org

## Evangelization Outreach Team

*To walk with people into communion with the Catholic Church.*

*Red Table*

The objective of this ministry is to reach out to, engage, and journey with the non-Catholics and fallen away Catholics in our parish and community. There will be formation offered each month to help members get comfortable answering questions about the faith and guidance on how to pastorally walk with people back into communion with the Church. Participants in this ministry should be willing to: Learn apologetics (how to explain/defend the faith), Become well versed in the Catechism of the Catholic Church, Have a fidelity to the magisterium and teachings of the Church, Have a pastoral disposition ordered towards encountering and accompanying. Meeting Schedule: Starts in November - First Thursdays at 5 p.m.

Contact: Dan Harms, Director of Evangelization dharms@saintbridgetchurch.org

## Parish Choir at 9 a.m. Mass

*The ministry strives to give people with musical gifts to serve as leaders in liturgy.*

*Gold Table*

The Parish Choir (high school age and older) sings for the 9 AM Mass most Sundays from September through June, Rehearsals are 7:15 P.M. to 8:30 PM on Wednesday nights. This ministry provides opportunities for parishioners to sing and play instruments in the liturgy, to the glory of God, to inspire others, and for the spiritual experience that comes with making music. Our music ministry is all volunteer and relies on a commitment from people like you who want to Cantor, sing in a choir, or play an instrument. The requirements to be part of this ministry are a desire to make music, a commitment to regular preparation and rehearsal, and a willingness to grow in knowledge and skill. The ability to read music and previous musical experience are an asset, but not a requirement. Meeting Schedule: Most Sundays at 9 a.m., Sept-June Wednesdays 7:15-8:30 p.m.

Contact: Allen Bean [abean@saintbridgetchurch.org](mailto:abean@saintbridgetchurch.org)

## String Ensemble

*1st - 12th grade intermediate players*

*Gold Table*

Under the guidance of violinist and teacher, Loretta McCray, students will have an opportunity to share their musical talents with parishioners in the Liturgy of the Mass. Rehearsals will be held once or twice each month on Sunday afternoons from 4:00 - 5:00 in the choir room. Students will be required to commit to participating during rehearsals and by practicing at home. The ensemble will be playing at four 11:00 Masses throughout the year scheduled for October 30, December 4, February 19, and May 14. There is a registration fee of \$120 for music and instruction. To register, please email Loretta McCray at [violino1st@gmail.com](mailto:violino1st@gmail.com). Meeting Schedule: Once or twice a month rehearsals, performances four times a year

Contact: Allen Bean [abean@saintbridgetchurch.org](mailto:abean@saintbridgetchurch.org)

## Girl & Boy Choirs

*The ministry strives to give people with musical gifts to serve as leaders in liturgy.*

*Gold Table*

The Girl and Boy Choirs are for children in 2nd Grade and older. The choirs currently rehearse together on Thursday afternoons and sing about once a month. Families can choose to rehearse 3:15 PM - 4:15 PM OR 4 PM to 5 PM. Meeting Schedule: Variable

Contact: Allen Bean [abean@saintbridgetchurch.org](mailto:abean@saintbridgetchurch.org)

## Cantors

*The ministry strives to give people with musical gifts to serve as leaders in liturgy.*

*Gold Table*

Cantors are adults who provide musical leadership during Parish Liturgies. The ability to read music is essential for a Cantor. Preparation occurs "on your own," and in group rehearsals and one on one session with the Music Minister. Meeting Schedule: Variable Schedule

Contact: Allen Bean [abean@saintbridgetchurch.org](mailto:abean@saintbridgetchurch.org)

## Gentlemen of Saint Bridget Choir

*The ministry strives to give people with musical gifts to serve as leaders in liturgy.*

*Gold Table*

The Gentlemen of Saint Bridget is an occasional choir for Adult Men. The choir sings Christmas Eve, for the Annual Saints and Sinners June meeting, and at other times. Rehearsals are setup prior to musical offerings at liturgies, or for performances. Meeting Schedule: Variable Schedule

Contact: Allen Bean [abean@saintbridgetchurch.org](mailto:abean@saintbridgetchurch.org)

## Contemporary Choir

*Contemporary Music for Mass*

*Gold Table*

This ministry serves the parish by providing music and leading the congregation in song at the Sunday evening Mass. It is a kind and loving community of various ages. We welcome singers and musicians to participate. Piano, guitar, bass guitar, violin, flute, mandolin, and a cajon drum have been some of the instruments played by our group in the past. I look forward to exploring how you can become a part of this ministry. Meeting Schedule: Sunday afternoons plus additional practice as needed to learn new music

Contact: Allen Bean [abean@saintbridgetchurch.org](mailto:abean@saintbridgetchurch.org)

## Musician Survey

*Not a regular ministry, just learning what musicians are in the parish.*

*Gold Table*

Do you play an instrument at an intermediate or better level? We occasionally need musicians and instrumentalists for one-off events and would love to know what ability we have in the parish. Contact: Allen Bean [abean@saintbridgetchurch.org](mailto:abean@saintbridgetchurch.org)

### Altar Linen Care Ministry

*To launder and iron the linens used at Mass.  
Purple Table*

With deep love and reverence for the Holy Eucharist, the Altar Linen Care Ministry cares for the sacred linens on a rotating schedule. Training is provided on how to care for these special linens that contain the Body and Blood of our Lord Jesus Christ. This ministry is made up of team members who, behind the scenes in their own homes, reverently launder and iron the corporals, purificators, lavabo towels and altar cloths used on the altar at Mass. Each team member works once every 4-6 weeks, depending upon the number of volunteers, usually picking up the used linens on Monday and returning them cleaned and ironed by Friday. Detailed instructions are provided to volunteers. Meeting Schedule: Every 4-6 weeks, pick up linens on Monday and return on Friday.

Contact: Joyce Romito [jromito@saintbridgetchurch.org](mailto:jromito@saintbridgetchurch.org)

### Lay Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion

*To help the celebrant distribute the Body and Blood of Christ during Communion.  
Purple Table*

This ministry is for all confirmed parishioners who have the desire to share their love of the Eucharist with their brothers and sisters in Christ. None of us feels worthy to serve in this ministry, but by virtue of our Baptism, we are all worthy and called to humbly do so. We are called "extraordinary" because the "ordinary" minister of Communion is the priest. After the initial training of Ministry Matters, most new information is distributed periodically by email, although we encourage our Lay Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion to participate in some of the many spiritual formation opportunities offered throughout the year by our parish. Meeting Schedule: Initial Training, variable schedule after.

Contact: Jacqueline H Dwyer & Kela Campbell  
[jhdwyer422@gmail.com](mailto:jhdwyer422@gmail.com)

### Funeral Ministry

*This Ministry assists at Funeral Masses in several areas. Ushers, Sacristans, Servers, Coordinators  
Red Table*

The Church wishes to accompany those who are grieving and to show the Light of Jesus Christ Risen to those whose hearts are broken. The parish embraces those who are mourning and gives direction for ceremonies to thank God for the deceased's life and to hold family and friends close in prayer. Meeting Schedule: Variable Schedule

Contact: Yvonne Smith  
[volunteercoordinator@saintbridgetchurch.org](mailto:volunteercoordinator@saintbridgetchurch.org)

### Altar Servers

*To serve our parish, our clergy, and our Lord during the Mass  
Purple Table*

The altar server ministry at Saint Bridget Catholic Church allows young parishioners to serve the Lord and our parish in the most beautiful and rewarding of ministries. Saint Bridget altar servers are known for their reverent and dedicated commitment to our parish. They are well-trained on altar server procedures and the beauty of our Mass. Servers have an opportunity to serve on Sunday Masses, and also daily Mass and funerals and weddings, if they choose. Children, fifth grade and older, are invited to participate. The comprehensive and fun training, hosted annually in the fall, will teach your children more about the Mass and introduce them to the concept of ministry. Servers will attend about six hours of training and study terminology and procedures in their own time. For more information, please contact Brooke Bell at [brkbll@gmail.com](mailto:brkbll@gmail.com). Meeting Schedule: Initial training, some refresher training throughout the year, and serving as scheduled at Mass  
Contact: Brooke Bell [brkbll@gmail.com](mailto:brkbll@gmail.com)

### Lectors

*Lectors proclaim the Word of God at all Masses, weekdays and Sundays.  
Purple Table*

As a lector, Pope Francis has said, "you are called to the important work of serving the Gospel of Jesus, proclaiming Him, so that His consolation, His joy and His liberation can reach everyone." What an incredible privilege and calling. You will come to a greater love of your faith and the holy Word of God. You will be carefully trained and given the resources you will need to succeed. Lectors are trained at scheduled meetings several times a year at functions called Ministry Matters  
Meeting Schedule: Initial Training, variable schedule after training.

Contact: Betty Drozeski and Jeff Lunardi  
[bettydro@aol.com](mailto:bettydro@aol.com)

### Ushers

*Welcome, serve, and protect all those who attend our parish.  
Purple Table*

The Usher Ministry is great way to provide important and meaningful service to the Church. Ushers work hard providing support for the Priests and the entire congregation so that the sacrifice of the Mass is the focus of everyone's attention. We make preparations and distribute worship aids so that everyone feels welcome and has what they need to praise God at St Bridget's. Meeting Schedule: Initial Training, variable schedule after training. Contact: Frank X. Lackman  
[flackman@cornerstonehomes.net](mailto:flackman@cornerstonehomes.net)

## Sacristan

*Work in the sacristy to prepare all that is needed for Mass  
Purple Table*

The ministry of a sacristan is behind-the-scenes but critical to facilitating our Mass Schedule. Sacristans organize everything needed for Mass including ministers, linens, candles, bread and wine, vessels, and more. Sacristans are needed for Daily, Sunday, and Special liturgies. Meeting Schedule: Initial Training, variable schedule after training.  
Contact: Tara Chuidian wbccl@aol.com

## Wedding Ministry

*To assist with the logistical aspects of weddings.  
Red Table*

I am looking to have a handful of volunteers available to assist me with logistics at weddings. Only one volunteer per wedding to be scheduled by your availability. It is a fun flurry of activity for a few short hours. Meeting Schedule: Initial Training, variable schedule after training.  
Contact: Jenn Harter jharter@saintbridgetchurch.org

# Education

## Middle & High School Youth Ministry, Confirmation

*Walk with teens into closer relationship with Christ  
Green Table*

Work with our new Youth Minister to teach the faith, help teens encounter Christ, and form life-long disciples. Middle School is 6-8th grade, High School is 9th-12th grade, Confirmation is made in 10th grade. There are a variety of levels of volunteer engagement needed and all volunteers must be background screened and safe environment trained. Meeting Schedule: Variable  
Contact: Patrick Stearman  
pstearman@saintbridgetchurch.org

## Baptism Team

*Assist in teaching Baptism classes, accompany families during their child's baptism, and follow up with families to help connect them back to the parish.  
Teal Table*

Help us welcome and support the the newest members of our faith and their families as they prepare for baptism and become a part of our community. Meeting Schedule: Variable: Classes occur every other month, Baptisms happen 1-2 times per month  
Contact: Mary Rebecca Pugsley  
mpgusley@saintbridgetchurch.org

## Cub Scout Pack 436

*Provide boys and their families the opportunity to learn life skills, grow closer to God, and share in adventures.  
Sky Blue Table*

Come join Cub Scouts! Build friendships, learn valuable lessons, and have fun adventures! Meeting Schedule: Every other Monday at 6:30pm in St Bridget lower school cafeteria.  
Contact: Michael Kelleher - Cubmaster  
jmknd07@gmail.com

## Tuesday Book Group

*To broaden and deepen our understanding of our Faith  
Light Purple Table*

If you love to read to enrich your Catholic faith we are currently a group of adult women (we have had men join us with past books) who select, read, and discuss a variety of religious books. Generally we have one selection for the fall and one (or two) for the winter and spring. We do not utilize study guides or lists of questions. Our discussions rely on each member's understanding/questions of what was read for that week. Meeting Schedule: Tuesdays, 10-11:30 a.m.  
Contact: Liz Esparolini beachliz@bellsouth.net



## Faith Formation, K-5

*To support families in living the Catholic faith.  
Green Table*

Children's Faith Formation Catechist help teach grades K-5 with an emphasis on helping families live as Catholics all year long. We meet approximately three times a month at 10:30 for one hour and fifteen minutes after the 9 a.m. Family Mass. We typically meet September through early May. Your weekly lesson plans are based on the current month's theme with suggestions from the curriculum to help guide you. Your love of our faith and children will certainly shine through when working with the wonderful children of our parish. Meeting Schedule: Approximately 3 Sundays monthly, 10:30 a.m., Sept through May  
Contact: Mona Bausone  
mbausone@saintbridgetchurch.org

## Monday Morning Bible Study

*To study scripture as a faith community from a Catholic perspective.  
Light Purple Table*

This group studies the various books of the bible using video lessons and group discussion. Each lesson requires reading the assigned scripture, but there is no written homework and usually does not require a purchase of materials. Participants all comment on the increase in their faith and a closer relationship with our Lord, Jesus. Meeting Schedule: Mondays, 9 - 11 a.m.  
Contact: Ron Campbell camp2130rjc@bellsouth.net

## Women's Scripture Study

*To learn more about our faith from each other and from scripture in a nurturing environment.  
Light Purple Table*

Join other women to learn more about the Catholic Faith by studying scripture. Using noted scripture scholars we study various books of the Bible which deepens our faith. We learn from the Catechism, commentaries and each other in a supportive environment. This fall we are learning from Bishop Barron about Untold Blessings. We will be learning about how to focus our lives on Jesus. Meeting Schedule: Weekly meetings in the fall and spring  
Contact: Sue Feeser sue.feeser@gmail.com

## Children's Liturgy of the Word

*Sharing the weekly Gospel with children during Liturgy of the Word at Mass.  
Green Table*

Children's Liturgy of the Word is weekly program held during the 9 a.m. Family Mass for those ages 4 through 2nd grade. As a volunteer, you and two other volunteers would share the Gospel with the kids on a level that they understand. Each session last approximately 20- 25 minutes one or two times a month. Resources for the upcoming Sunday readings are available for your use. Meeting Schedule: During 9 a.m. Family Mass for ages 4 through 2nd grade.  
Contact: Mona Bausone  
mbausone@saintbridgetchurch.org

## First Communion Team

*To help prepare children for the sacraments of First Reconciliation and First Communion  
Green Table*

The First Reconciliation and First Communion team is vital to helping children prepare for these important sacraments in the life of the church. Preparation takes place September through mid-May. As catechists, you will help with questions, participate in retreats and help with sacrament days. One of the greatest rewards is seeing their smiles after they've received the grace of the sacrament. Meeting Schedule: Variable  
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## Thursday morning Bible study

*to learn more about all aspects of our faith  
Light Purple Table*

This group meets on Thursday mornings 9-10 a.m. in the Parish Hall. A video presentation followed by open discussion. It's very relaxed and open to all.  
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